

Prayer of Commitment  
“Regeneration” from *The Valley of Vision*

**Leader:** O God of the highest heaven, Occupy the throne of my heart, take full possession and reign supreme, lay low every rebel lust, let no vile passion resist thy holy war; manifest thy mighty power, and make me thine forever.

**People:** **Thou art worthy to be praised with my every breath, loved with my every faculty of soul, served with my every act of life. Thou hast loved me, espoused me, received me, purchased, washed, favoured, clothed, adorned me, when I was worthless, vile, soiled, polluted.**

**Leader:** I was dead in iniquities, having no eyes to see thee, no ears to hear thee, no taste to relish thy joys, no intelligence to know thee; But thy Spirit has quickened me, has brought me into a new world as a new creature, has given me spiritual perception, has opened to me thy Word as light, guide, solace, joy.

**People:** **Thy presence is to me a treasure of unending peace; No provocation can part me from thy sympathy, for thou hast drawn me with cords of love, and dost forgive me daily, hourly.**

**All:** **O help me then to walk worthy of thy love, of my hopes, and my vocation. Keep me, for I cannot keep myself; Protect me that no evil befall me; Let me lay aside every sin admired of many; Help me to walk by thy side, lean on thy arm, hold converse with thee, that henceforth I may be salt of the earth and a blessing to all.**

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# Welcome



*Salem Hellers*

Lancaster, Pennsylvania—Founded 1725

**Marriage and Divorce—Part 1**  
**1 Corinthians 7:8-16**

**June 15, 2025**



## Salem Evangelical Reformed Church, Hellers

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He who finds a wife finds a good thing and obtains favor from the Lord. Proverbs 18:22  
House and wealth are inherited from fathers, but a prudent wife is from the Lord. Proverbs 19:14

### Welcome and Announcements

### Ringling of the Bell

*We Gather to Glorify God*

**Prelude** *Amazing Grace* - Handbell Ensemble

**Call to Worship** *Psalm 100*

**Leader:** Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness!

**People:** Come into his presence with singing!

**Leader:** Know that the Lord, he is God!

**People:** It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

**Leader:** Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

**People:** Give thanks to him; bless his name!

**All:** For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

**\*Opening Hymn** *Come, Christians, Join to Sing (125)*

**\*Opening Prayer**

*We Gather to Grow in the Spirit*

\*Worshippers, please stand if physically able.

**Scripture Reading** Mark 10:1-8

**Hymn of Meditation** *All The Way My Savior Leads Me (172)*

### Ministry Moment

**\*Prayer of Commitment** *(see back of bulletin)*

**\*Hymn of the Month** *O Great God (35)*

**Musical Offering** *I've Got Peace Like a River*  
- Handbell Ensemble

### Pastoral Prayer

**The Message** Marriage and Divorce—Part 1  
1 Corinthians 7:8-16 - Pastor Doug Winne

*We Go Into the World with the Gospel of Jesus Christ*

**\*Closing Hymn** *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us (170)*

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

Worship Leader—Nancy Rovers  
Director of Music—Carolyn McLain | Organist—David Andrews

Offerings may be placed in the offering boxes at the exits. You can also text SH to 717-807-5656 or scan this QR code. If you're new today, welcome! Please fill out a visitor's card (in the pew rack) and drop it in the offering box.



### Sunday School 10:45 AM—All Welcome!

Upstairs	Age 3—7	Pleasing God
Upstairs	Age 8—12	God's Servants
Upstairs	Age 13—18	Digging Deeper (Westminster Catechism)
Berean Room	Adults	Sermon Discussion
Library	Adults	Book Study on 1 Peter